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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Bashiri, Phung, Ramzipoor and Ajitkumar Nair

Application No.: 10/809236

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For: DETACHABLE AND RETRIEVABLE STENT ASSEMBLY

Examiner: Kathleen C. Sonnett

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Commissioner for Patents

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AMENDMENT

This Amendment is in response to the Office Action dated January 29, 2009.

If an extension of time is required to make this response timely and no separate petition is enclosed, Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time sufficient to make the response timely. In the event that this response requires the payment of government fees and payment is not enclosed, please charge Deposit Account No. 22-0350.

Please amend the application as follows: